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**Subject:** Patent Application  
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**Inventor's:** James W. Willen and James F. Merten  
**Title:** HIERARCHICAL AFFINITY DISPATCHER FOR TASK  
MANAGEMENT IN A MULTIPROCESSOR COMPUTER SYSTEM  
**File No.:** RA-5395

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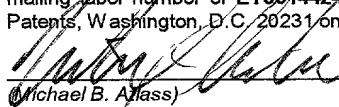
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| 1. | Request & Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(I) | (01 pages)  |
| 2. | Specification   | (14 pages)  |
| 3. | Claims  | (09 pages)  |
| 4. | Informal Drawings                                       | (06 sheets) |
| 5. | Declaration and Power of Attorney                       | (03 pages)  |
| 6. | Assignment of Invention                                 | (02 pages)  |

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<b>REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)</b>	First Named Inventor	<b>James W. Willen et al.</b>
	Title	<b>Hierarchical Affinity Dispatcher for Task Management in a Multiprocessor Computer System</b>
	Atty Docket Number	<b>RA-5395</b>

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